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O3020.0269/P269

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Applicant(s): Akinobu Nakabo

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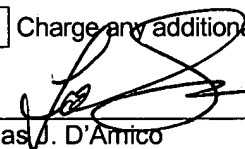
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated March 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified application by rewriting claims 1, 12 and 18 as follows: